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## GOOD CONCERT WAS LYNCHED BY ORPHANS FOR ASSAULT?

The concert given at the Auditorium last night by the orphans pleased a large audience. All of the singing was excellent and merited the applause which was heartily given. The solos given by one of the members were especially good and clearly demonstrated a musical talent of high order combined with careful and assiduous training. Miss McDonald who has charge of the music is to be congratulated upon the success she has attained in the training of such a company of delightful singers.

While in our midst the orphans were the recipients of many courtesies from some of the public spirited citizens of the city.

Mr. W. A. Smith gave them a delightful outing at Laurel Park Dr. R. A. Child, Messrs. Jno. Orr, J. A. Brock and W. Furlow tendered their automobiles for an interesting ride to Krunga. Mrs. C. R. Whitaker who can always be depended upon to assist in any worthy cause aided materially in making the stay of the orphans one of the pleasant memories of their trip.

Mr. J. D. Berry in a nice talk, thanked the Odd Fellows for their interest and aid which helped so much to make the trip a financial success.

### At The Lyric.

The bill for tonight's performance will be changed in its entirety. New features in all respects will be produced. New films, new illustrated song, and a new sketch by the two vaudeville performers will constitute a very attractive and interesting offering.

### Tent Show Last Night.

Another good show was put on under the tent last night and the large crowd present hugely enjoyed the performance which was fully up to the standard set the preceding night. The feature of last night's show was the trapeze work by two very skillful performers. Their work was good and called forth well merited applause from the spectators. This company is giving a good show for the small price of admission.

### Inherits \$100,000.

New Haven, Conn., July 26.—Burr S. Peck, a wealthy retired manufacturer aged 80, who recently eloped with a pretty waitress, Miss May Bryne, aged 20 is dead.

Peck created a sensation when he eloped with the waitress. They lived together a few days when Peck instituted divorce proceedings. The suit was afterwards withdrawn. An estate valued at \$100,000 goes to the young widow.

Harmon is After This Endorsement. Fremont, July 25.—The mission of B. F. Chamberlin, the personal representative of Governor Judson Harmon of Ohio, to the Nebraska State Democratic convention, was the chief topic of discussion among the delegates.

The Harmon headquarters were established and a representative of the Ohio governor was soon the object of keen interest of the supporters and opponents of Harmon, for the convention's endorsement as a presidential candidate.

The convention will meet late this afternoon.

Helping the Methodist Orphanage. Pittsburg, July 24.—Rev. J. N. Cole, superintendent of the Methodist Orphanage at Raleigh, filled the pulpit of the Methodist church here Sunday morning and night, preaching two strong sermons. He presented the cause for orphans in a most forcible way and a goodly number of the congregation subscribed to the Boy's Building fund at the orphanage.

## "MIKADO" SOON

Grand reception to be tendered him by the musical talent of our city and vicinity, and very active preparations are now going forward looking to the rendition of the national opera of the flowery kingdom and which has been dedicated to his majesty "The Mikado."

There will be about 200 singers selected to participate in the offering, which is to be Tuesday and Thursday nights, August 8-10, to which the public is cordially invited. There will be a collection taken at the door of the auditorium, the receipts of which will be taken care of by the Guild of St. James, according to the decree of his majesty.

All places of business are expected to be closed during the visitation of "The Mikado" and Mayor Staton will don his best suit of clothes in order to tender the freedom of the city.

here is an ancient saying, famous among men, that thou shouldst judge fully of a man's life before he dieth, whether it should be called blest or wretched.—Sophocles.

Sometimes a man kisses a girl against her will, against his own will.

Cheraw, S. C., July 25.—Following an attempt to assault a young woman in Mount Croghan, a small town near here, a negro from North Carolina, whose name has not been learned, is believed to have been lynched. The attempt at assault was committed at noon yesterday, and all day yesterday and last night parties of frenzied men searched the woods for the criminal. Parties of men returning this morning were non-committal as to whether the negro was caught or not, but it is thought, from the bearing of the pursuers, that the negro was captured and put to death in the woods somewhere in this section.

The victim of the attempted assault is one of the most prominent and well connected young women of this section, and the crime stirred up unusual excitement and anger.

Sheriff Douglass of Chesterfield county was on the scene and sought to capture the negro, but was unsuccessful.

## WOMEN BETTER

Four or five years ago I asked M. Magnan, who had just retired from the governorship of the Bank of France, what he thought of the lady clerks and other employees there. He had a better opinion of them than of their brother employees. It greatly grieved him that he could not apply the principle of an equal wage for an equal task executed in a way that left nothing to be desired. He knew but very few cases of employees being guilty of levity or inattention or carelessness in the discharge of their functions. They took pleasure in doing their best, apart from the hope of promotion.

M. Magnan employed women exclusively as sorters of bank notes. They worked quickly and their fingers had an unerring touch in feeling the difference between a bad and a good note. The director of the sorting department (a man) never knew the discerning tact of a sortress to be at fault. As accountants he thought the average woman better than the average man, both in quickness and accuracy in calculation.—Paris to London Truth.

### HE OBJECTED TO ADVERTISING.

Maker of Old-Established Hair Restorer Didn't Wish to Be Bothered With Too Much Business.

"We never advertise," said the present owner of an old-established hair restorer. "On the contrary, we tell our customers distinctly in the literature which accompanies each bottle that they must appreciate our preparation because we have never descended to the vulgarity of advertising."

"And is business as good as it used to be?"

"It has not been so good this year, but in the main we are holding our own."

"You are—in the main. What do you mean by holding your own—in the main?"

"We have been in business nearly sixty years and we are doing as well as we did fifty years ago. Now that's not so bad—is it?"

"No. Not so bad. You ought to have passed out long ago. You must have a very meritorious article."

"Indeed we have. It is the very best in the world. Grandfathers recommended it to their sons. The sons recommended it to their children. The children use it, and through them we keep up our sales."

"But if you advertised it liberally you could do hundreds of times more business than you do. You have money. Why don't you start in?"

"My dear fellow, you don't understand. If we advertised and got more business I would have to spend all my time in this office. It would be necessary to employ a lot of additional help, and what a bother that would be. The idea is simply preposterous. I couldn't get away to play golf or go sailing or motoring, and life wouldn't be worth living."

"Good organization would take care of the business and you could take a continuous vacation."

"But I couldn't escape worrying. You see—"

"I didn't wait for him to finish. What's the use of trying to wake a Rip Van Winkle?"

Let us take your order for Fall and Winter Suits now. Can deliver anytime wanted. Lott's Cash Shoe Store.

Chester, S. C., is to have an overall factory.

Few men know enough not to give advice.

Energy has made more men famous than merit.

No matter how lazy a man may be his laziness seldom extends to his tongue.

## OUR MORNINGS!



Early this morning, as well as yesterday, wraps were in demand. The touch of the cool, invigorating morning air, one look at the thermometer in which the mercury was vacillating

## NEW BOOM HAS PATENTS REACH MILLION MARK

Washington, July 26.—A new democratic presidential boom has appeared in town. It envelops the graceful form of Representative Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, chairman of the committee on ways and means. This boom has the backing of the Alabama delegation in congress, each and every man of whom has declared that it will grow to formidable proportions before many days have passed.

According to statements made last night, orders have gone out that Alabama's delegation to the democratic national convention of 1912 shall be instructed for Mr. Underwood. To the objection that Mr. Underwood comes from a state too far south to be seriously considered for the democratic presidential nomination, his friends reply that he was born in Kentucky, and spent a part of his young manhood in Minnesota.

### LIVED FOR 52 YEARS BEFORE MEETING FATHER.

Walker Met His Aged Parent at Bier of Lattier's Brother.

Pittsburg, July 24.—William Walker aged 52, a well-to-do farmer of Mt. Pleasant, Pa., near here, yesterday met his father, John A. Walker, aged 72, of La Porte, Ind., for the first time in his life, to his knowledge, at the bier of Clark Walker, brother of John A. Walker. The case is remarkable. Over 51 years ago John A. Walker left Mt. Pleasant, leaving behind his young wife and a 4-months-old son. He went to La Porte, Ind., and for more than a quarter of a century, it is said, was police marshal of that city. He remarried, as did his wife, who mourned him as dead.

### Fancies of Fashion.

The stage toe, in a modified form is to be seen on the finer grade of slippers.

Togues of brocade, with puffed crowns of plain satin, are good for the early spring days. They are trimmed with small aigrettes at one side.

Festive straw is a name given to a new coarse mesh straw which has all sorts of smart little hats in it.

Dresden gold and silver ribbon edged with a narrow line of plain colored satin make a most attractive trimming for the frock veiled with chiffon.

Many blouses are showing designs in beads or in a beaded effect, secured by French knots. These knots, are very new and are worked in silk colors.

Straw Jack Tar hats are already in the shops for boys, intended probably for little tourists going south. Sometimes the tourists are different in color from the square crowns.

Wednesday and Thursday, 26th and 27th is our opening for Fall and Winter Suits. Call in and see samples—whether you buy or not. Lott's Cash Shoe Store.

Some people look on the bright side of things so persistently that they wind up the proud possessors of a gold brick.

Example is the schol of mankind and they will learn at not other's Burke.

## AFFAIRS AT HIGHLAND LAKE

Highland Lake, N. C., July 26.—The past weeks' social activities have been rather strenuous out at Highland Lake Club. Many of the members have arrived and are now occupying their cottages for the summer. Among those who have cottages are: Dr. Joseph Maybank and family of Charleston, Dr. Phinizy Calhoun and family of Atlanta, Mr. W. Wall and family of New Orleans, Mr. Alex Marshall and family of Charleston, Mr. Hardwick Ruth and family of Montgomery, Mr. P. Thornton Marve and family of Atlanta and Dr. C. Edmond Kells and family of New Orleans.

Last Saturday night one of the most successful dances of the season was given the guests of the club and their friends. Music rendered by the Club orchestra under the directorship of Orme Edwards of Hendersonville was exceptionally good. There were about twenty couples on the spacious ball room floor who enjoyed many two steps and waltzes until midnight. Highland Lake Club room is one of the finest in the state and the dancing at the club is one of the largest social features. The Highland Lake Club orchestra gave a concert Sunday afternoon assisted by Mrs. Watts, soprano. The program consisted of several well chosen selections. Several individual recitals and the delightful vocal music rendered by Mrs. Watts together with the orchestra members made the concert a rare treat for those present.

Among those who recently arrived at the Club are:

- Mr. and Mrs. Ruth, Emmet Ruth, Leon Ruth, Miss Sarah Ruth, Miss Juliet Ruth, Montgomery, Ala.; Miss Margaret Gordon, Columbus, Ga.; B. Montgomery, Miss Jennie Montgomery, New Orleans, La.; Mrs. J. N. Jackson, Miss Martha Jackson, Mr. J. N. Jackson, Miss Martha Jackson, Mrs. J. N. Jackson, Mr. Nelson Jackson, Jr., Charlotte, N. C.; Mr. J. R. Young, Mrs. J. R. Young, Charleston, S. C.; Mrs. S. E. Hyatt and daughter, Mr. W. J. Kemm, Jr., Miss Berg, Keenan, Miss Julia Keenan, Mr. Geo. Norris, Columbia, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Douglas, Adeline Douglas, Miss Mary Thomas Douglas, Mrs. J. W. Holt, Miss Janet Huster, Miss Anne Holt, Mrs. W. C. Holt, Mr. James M. Holt, Montgomery, Ala.; Wm. J. Tabor, Columbia, S. C.; Mr. E. Booth, Columbia, Ga.; Mrs. Lloy Parks, Miss Pearl Parks, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. J. W. Williams, the Misses Williams, Columbia, S. C.; Mrs. E. D. Johnson, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Louis McClain, St. Augustine, Fla.; Mr. J. D. Wilcox, Capt. Wm. E. Jones, Miss Frankie Jones, Miss Willie Jones, Baltimore, Md.; Mr. Jno. F. Hoff, Miss Kollock, Mr. J. R. Ravenel, Mrs. J. R. Ravenel, Charleston, S. C.; F. Pickett Bacon, Tryon, N. C.; Mr. Wm. Winan Wall, Mrs. Wm. Winan Wall, Miss Elizabeth Wall, Miss Elmir, Wall, Miss Jane Wall, New Orleans, La.; Mrs. Phinizy Calhoun and child, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. John P. Burke and baby, Jacksonville, Fla.; Mrs. P. T. Nerve and son, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. I. Moore, Mrs. L. H. Moore and baby, Mrs. Daniel Moore, Montgomery, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haskel, Mr. Jno. C. Haskel, Charleston, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence N. Jones and baby, Montgomery, Ala.; Mrs. K. G. Whistler, Columbia, S. C.; Helen Thomas Montgomery, Ala.; Mrs. Wm. H. Courteney, Mrs. L. M. Barnwell, Columbia, S. C.; O. O. Nelson, Montgomery, Ala.; Mr. A. Pierce Gregg, Asheville, N. C.; Mr. Lloyd B. Park, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. C. L. Smith, Charlotte, N. C.; Mr. W. F. B. Haynes, North Sumter, S. C.; Mrs. P. B. Teasley, Mrs. L. C. Watts, Mrs. Robert C. Brickell, Mrs. John G. Winter, T. E. Lovejoy, Armstead Brown, Montgomery, Ala.; J. B. Crews, Spartanburg, S. C.; Mrs. Wm. Fisher, Miss Sarah Fisher, Pensacola, Fla.; Miss Sarah King, Rome, Ga.; Mr. Wm. P. Thomas and wife, Miss Thomas, Mr. F. Hyatt, Jr., Miss Caroline G. Thomas, Mr. I. A. Thomas, Mr. Henry B. Richardson, Columbia, S. C.; Mr. Jack Phinizy, Columbia, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rumbough, Miss Viola, Parks, Miss Marie Parks, Mrs. Campbell King, Asheville, N. C.; Miss Tey, Glendale, S. C.; Mr. W. I. Gaud, Charleston, S. C.; Mr. C. P. Rogers and wife, Flat Rock, N. C.; Mrs. Richard Furman, Miss Furman, Miss Dickson, Shreveport, La.; Mr. Geo. D. Cox, Mrs. Geo. D. Cox, Evelyn Cox, Mr. Jno. Bradford and wife, Waynesboro, Ga.; Mr. J. B. Crews, Mr. W. H. Crews, Jr., Mr. J. H. Chambers, Columbia, S. C.; Miss Annie Seibels, Montgomery, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Bullard, Daytona, Fla.; Mr. Clarence B. Hewes, Mrs. H. B. Hewes, Misses Hewes, Louisiana; Mrs. W. I. Gaud, Flat Rock; Mr. J. N. Jackson, Charlotte; Mr. P. Thornton Marve, Atlanta; Mr. G. P. Boatwright, Portsmouth, Va.; Miss Dorothy Hannan, Montgomery, Ala.; Miss Florida Dameron, Los Angeles, Cal.; Miss Sue Dabery, University of Savannah.

## "A VALUABLE ASSET"

"Laurel Park," said Mr. R. L. Mills of Washington, a visitor there yesterday, "is distinctly one of the most valuable assets Hendersonville possesses as a summer resort."

He was standing at the foot of the Swiss Incline Railway. The street car had just unloaded almost a hundred passengers—nine-tenths of them visitors to The Resort of the South—all of them intent upon a few hours of pleasure in the "most beautiful natural park in America."

"This very beautiful estate answers admirably every purpose of a central city park—with this decided advantage to the taxpayers that they have not a dollar invested there, at costs them absolutely nothing for the park's up-keep, and yet everything is free to them and to their guests."

"I do not find that anything is charged for here except for boats and the absurdly small fare on this Swiss Incline—a unique attraction by the way. To all intents and purposes the park belongs to the people and its owner must annually spend large sums to keep it in the excellent condition I find it."

"I have gotten into the habit of spending a great part of each day here—walking, drinking the marvelous waters so abundant, enjoying keenly the wonderful natural beauty of the place. Were it not for Laurel Park and the pleasure it daily affords me I fear I should have left Hendersonville long ago, but as it is the park has helped make my visit here one of entirely pleasant memories. I leave for Washington tomorrow but am promising myself a return trip this fall. I imagine the colorings of the foliage here must be superb during autumn and know the show will be prettiest in Laurel Park."

"I repeat that Laurel Park is distinctly a valuable asset to Hendersonville, and answers admirably every purpose of a great central city park."

### "Railroad Jim" the Evangelist, in Spencer.

Spencer, July 24.—"Railroad Jim" Smith, now a noted evangelist of St. Louis, is spending ten days in Spencer holding a revival with the railroad men and their families. Mr. Smith who was for a long while in railroad service, is one of the strongest preachers to be heard anywhere, and great crowds are greeting him at each service. His preaching is on a high plane and much interest is being manifested in the revival. The singing is being conducted by Prof. J. H. Smith, of Durham.

## MASCOT FAILS

The mascot of John Favours, an aged negro, failed him in police court yesterday morning, after it had kept him an inmate from trouble for nearly seventy years.

The mascot is a string of glass beads of various colors. He said the necklace was placed around his neck by his mother during slavery times and she told him that as long as he wore it he would never have bad luck.

The old man was arrested for the first time in his life last Saturday on complaint of a stepson who charged him with beating and abusing the boy's mother.

"I'll have to fine you \$5.75," the recorder told Favours.

Thereupon the old negro took from around his neck his string of beads and said to the recorder:

"Ise bin wearin' dis here neckless Jedge Briles, eber since I was er little boy. Hit was put round mer neck by my ole mammy who tol' me hit would always gib me good luck. Now fer de fust time in mer life, after I done married a widder an' gits mixed wid er step chile, Ise bin 'rested by de perlice an' mer luck sho' done let me."

The recorder told the old man to try his mascot once more as widows and stepchildren were sometimes liable to cause the best of charms to fail. The old negro put the necklace around his neck again and exclaimed:

"I tink I'll git rid of de widder an' step-chile and stick ter de neckless."—Atlanta Constitution.

### Nebraska Republicans go on record as commending President Taft and his administration.

Favorable weather in the more eastern states of the cotton belt continued the past week, although more rain is needed in North Carolina.

### Where They Disagreed.

Meveber and Rossini, in spite of all their rivalries, were the warmest of friends. Rossini once said: "Meyerbeer and I can never agree." When some one in surprise asked why, he replied: "Meyerbeer likes sauerkraut better than he does macaroni."

Now is the time to get measured for your fall and winter suit. Special representative from Baltimore here taking measures, 26 and 27. Lott's Cash Shoe Store.

Property has its duties as well as its rights.—Thomas Drummond.